CHAPTER 166

(Senate Bill 295)

AN ACT concerning

Higher Education - Displaced Homemakers

FOR the purpose of altering-the-meaning--ef--displaced--homemaker for--purposes---ef--tuition--exemptions--at--certain--State institutions-ef-higher-education; extending the Displaced Homemakers Program to a certain date; and generally relating to educational opportunities for displaced homemakers in the State.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education Section 16-205(d) Annotated Code of Maryland (1978 Volume and 1984 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Education

16-205.

(d) (1) For purposes of this subsection, "displaced homemaker" is an individual who:

 $-\{-(i) \text{ Is over } 35;-\}-$

 $-\{-(ii)-\}-\{i\}$ Has worked for the family in the family home;

-{-(iii)-}- (II) Is not gainfully employed;

 $-\{-(iv)-\}-$ (###) Has had, or would have, difficulty finding employment;

 $-\{-(v)-\}-({\sharp}{\forall})$ 1. Has depended on the income of a family member and has lost that income as the result of separation, divorce, or the death or disability of that family member; or

2. Has depended on government assistance as the parent of dependent children and is no longer eligible for such assistance; and

 $-\{-(vi)-\} \forall \forall \}$ Has an annual income that does not exceed: